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Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Group Art Unit 2771, Expedited Procedure

35.C12088

## PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION,
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME,
REQUEST FOR VACATION OF FINALITY OF OFFICE ACTION,
AND CONDITIONAL PETITION TO THE COMMISSIONER
FOR EXERCISE OF SUPERVISORY AUTHORITY

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 3, 1999, Applicants petition for a further two-month extension of their time to respond, to January 3, 2000. A check in

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## Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

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	CLAIMS		HIGHEST NO.	PRESENT		ADDITIONAL
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	AMENDMENT					
TOTAL	*	MINUS	**	=	x \$ 9	
CLAIMS	61		61		\$18	0
INDEP.	*	MINUS	***	=	x \$39	
CLAIMS	9		9		\$78	0
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350.00 57 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE			•			
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	°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- <u>X</u> -	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
X	A check in the amount of $$380.00$ to cover the Extension fee for response with a <u>two</u> -month extension is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.



X Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York Office by telephone at (212) 218-2100 or by facsimile at (212) 218-2200. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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